

SOUTH CAROLINA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

HEARING EXAMINER DIRECTIVE

DOCKET NO. 2014-363-C ORDER NO. 2014-877-H

OCTOBER 23, 2014

Josh Minges
Hearing Examiner

DOCKET DESCRIPTION:

Application of Talk America Services, LLC for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Operate as a Competitive Local Exchange and Long Distance Carrier in Those Areas of the State of South Carolina Where the Windstream (WIN) Companies are Currently Authorized and for Approval of the Transfer of Residential Local and Long Distance Customers of the WIN Companies to Talk America Services, LLC

MATTER UNDER CONSIDERATION:

Request of the Office of Regulatory Staff (“ORS”) to be Excused from Hearing

HEARING EXAMINER ACTION:

ORS states that they do not oppose Talk America Services, LLC’s Application in the above captioned matter and request to be excused from the hearing to be held on November 17, 2014. The request is granted.